

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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For: Methods for Preventing or Attenuating )  
Pathoangiogenic Conditions )

## RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed March 3, 2008 ("Office Action"), with a six-month period of response expiring after September 3, 2008, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application and allowance of the pending claims based upon the amendments and the following remarks. Applicant requests a three-month extension of time to file this Response to the Non-Final Office Action ("Response").

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 11 of this paper.

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